

Remarks

This communication is considered fully responsive to the Decision on Appeal. The rejections of claims 1-29 were on appeal. The rejection of claims 1-12, and 24-29 were reversed and therefore these claims are believed to be allowable without further amendment. The rejection of claims 13-23 was affirmed. Independent claims 13 and 18 are amended. No claims are currently canceled. No new claims are currently added.

In the Decision on Appeal, the Board states on page 6 that “Belfiore does not disclose a ‘solicitation’ to enter search terms if a RL is determined to be invalid. Belfiore discloses that the auto-search is invoked by the terms entered into the address box (FF 1). However, we find that invoking the auto-search is not solicited after the determination of an invalid RL.” Accordingly, Applicant has amended independent claims 13 and 18 to recite “solicitation.”

Applicant believes that independent claims 13 and 18 are allowable for the reasons stated in the Decision on Appeal. However, the Examiner is respectfully invited to telephone the below-listed attorney if further amendment is believed to be necessary in order to put these claims in condition for allowance based on the findings in the Decision on Appeal. Claims 14-17 and 19-23 depend on claims 13 and 18, respectfully. Therefore, all of the claims 1-29 are believed to be allowable. Reexamination and reconsideration of the amended claims are respectfully requested.

Conclusion

The Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

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